

This Office action is in response to applicant's amendments and remarks of 3/3/2008 and 3/10/2008.

An examiner's amendment to the record appears below. Should the changes and/or additions be unacceptable to applicant, an amendment may be filed as provided by 37 CFR 1.312. To ensure consideration of such an amendment, it MUST be submitted no later than the payment of the issue fee.

Authorization for this examiner's amendment was given in a telephone interview with Mr. Olexy on 6/6/2008.

Amendments to the Claims

CANCEL claims 14, 16-18 and 26-28.

Claim 13, line 3: delete "active" and insert --- reactive --- .

Claim 23, line 2: delete "active" and insert --- reactive --- .

Claim 25, line 1: delete "platinum-containing drink" and insert --- platinum dispersion --- .

Rewrite claims 12 and 19 as set forth below –

Claim 12. (Currently amended) A nanocolloidal platinum dispersion comprising nanocolloidal platinum and a polyacrylic acid salt as a colloid-protecting agent, wherein said nanocolloidal platinum is capable of removing reactive oxygen species and has an average particle size of 1-3 nm, 90% or more of said nanocolloidal platinum having a particle size in a range of 0.1-10 nm, wherein a molar ratio (R value) of said colloid-protecting agent on a monomer basis to said nanocolloidal platinum is 100-150.

Claim 19. (Currently amended) A nanocolloidal platinum-containing drink comprising a nanocolloidal platinum dispersion, which comprises nanocolloidal platinum and a polyacrylic acid salt as a colloid-protecting agent, wherein said nanocolloidal platinum is capable of removing reactive oxygen species and has an average particle size of 1-3 nm, 90% or more of said nanocolloidal platinum having a particle size in a range of 0.1-10 nm, wherein a molar ratio (R value) of said colloid-protecting agent on a monomer basis to said nanocolloidal platinum is 100-150.

Amendments to the Specification

Page 1, immediately below the title at line 5: insert the following ---

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Page 1, line 15: delete "high-reactivity, active" and insert

--- high reactivity, reactive --- .

Page 1, lines 19, 20, 22, 27, 29 (each instance): delete "active" and insert

--- reactive --- .

Page 2, lines 2, 4, 10, 11, 12, 14, 19, 25, 26, 28 (each instance): delete "active"

and insert --- reactive --- .

Page 3, lines 3, 8, 9, 14 (each instance): delete "active" and insert

--- reactive --- .

Page 4, lines 10, 13, 15, 21, 28 (each instance): delete "Polysolvate" and insert

--- Polysorbate --- .

Page 4, line 23: delete both instances of "Polysolvate" and insert
--- Polysorbate --- .

Page 4, line 13: delete "active" and insert --- reactive --- .

Page 5, line 1: delete "Polysolvate" and insert --- Polysorbate --- .

Page 5, lines 15, 18, 23 (each instance): delete "active" and insert
--- reactive --- .

Page 6, lines 8, 23, 29 (each instance): delete "active" and insert --- reactive --- .

Page 7, paragraph [0020]: at **line 2 of this paragraph**, delete "active" and insert
--- reactive --- .

Page 8, lines 14 and 15 (each instance): delete "active" and insert --- reactive ---.

Page 9, lines 2, 3, 6, 8 (each instance): delete "active" and insert --- reactive ---.

Page 10, line 4: delete "active" and insert --- reactive ---.

Page 10, paragraph [0034]: at **lines 1, 3, 6, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 of this paragraph** (each instance): delete "active" and insert --- reactive ---.

Paragraph [0035] on pages 10-11: at **line 1 of this paragraph**: delete "active"
and insert --- reactive ---.

Page 12, lines 12, 17 (each instance): delete "active" and insert --- reactive ---.

Paragraph [0063] on page 21: at **line 4 of this paragraph**: delete "active" and
insert --- reactive ---.

Page 25, line 28: delete "active" and insert --- reactive ---.

Page 30, lines 7, 9, 11, 12, 14, 18 (each instance): delete "active" and insert

--- reactive ---.

Page 31, lines 15, 18, 20 (each instance): delete "active" and insert

--- reactive ---.

Page 33, line 18: delete "Polysolvate" and insert --- Polysorbate --- .

Page 34, lines 4 and 7 (each instance): delete "Polysolvate" and insert

--- Polysorbate --- .

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